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In re Application of:

Sanders, et al.

Serial No: 09/954,506

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
ASSEMBLING REFASTENABLE  
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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER  
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

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Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated April 6, 2005 of the Examiner finally rejecting Claims 1-32 and 34-49.

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The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1.  An extension of time to respond to the final rejection was granted on \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ month(s).
2.  A timely response to the final rejection has been filed, as provided in 841 O.G. 1411.
3.  Fee \$500 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b) as required by 37 C.F.R. §41.20(b).  
 Check in the amount of \$500 for the fee referenced above is enclosed.
4.  The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
5.  I hereby petition under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) for any extension of time required to ensure that this paper is timely filed. Please charge any associated fees which have not otherwise been paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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